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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Veronique ROULIER, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/555,523

FILED: SEPTEMBER 15, 2000

FOR: STABLE OIL-IN-WATER EMULSION, PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING IT AND ITS USE IN COSMETICS AND DERMATOLOGY



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Marked-Up Copy of Amendment

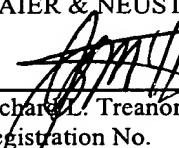
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2002, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following new claims.

--39. (New) The emulsion according to Claim 1, characterized in that the oily phase consists essentially of volatile oil.

40. (New) The emulsion according to Claim 1, characterized in that the oily phase consists essentially of silicone oil.

41. (New) The emulsion according to Claim 1, characterized in that the oily phase consists essentially of volatile silicone oil.